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For: APPARATUS FOR APPLYING
ADHESIVE TO BLANKS IN
PACKING MACHINES FOR
SMOKERS' PRODUCTS AND
THE LIKE

Customer No.

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 25, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of the Claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.